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16 October 1959

MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director, Plans

THROUGH : Chief, FI, DD/P
Chief, Staff D, DD/P
Acting Chief, DPD-DD/P

SUBJECT : Coordination of ELINT Activities


REFERENCE : DD/P 4-8453, dated 23 September 1959

1. I am returning the paper which you sent me on the above subject along with your memorandum which now includes Colonel Burke's non-concurrence in the proposed Clandestine Services Instruction dealing with the coordination of ELINT activities.

2. Colonel Burke is not here so that I cannot discuss the matter further with him and I am under pressure from Staff D to return the paper as promptly as possible.

3. I am quite willing to concur in the proposed instruction because, I gather, it is desired to have tidy organizational arrangements and get the proper instructions out to the people in DD/P. I am willing to do this, even though you and Colonel Burke question the feasibility of the proposal as it bears upon ELINT requirements destined for DPD, because I am assured by comment to you that any requirements received by FI/D "would be forwarded promptly" to DPD for action. The only basis, I feel, on which I could disagree with this would be a fear, which fear I do not have, that FI/D would not do as he says.

4. Recommendation: That you approve the referenced CSI.


JAMES Q. REBER
Chief, Special Requirements Staff
DPD-DD/P

RECOMMENDATION APPROVED:

See Memo for C/FI from DD/P,
dated 7 Dec 59 (DD/P 4-9723) which approves draft

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Att: DD/P 4-8528
DD/P 4-8453

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